

AN EPITOME OF LATE LIVE NEWS

CONDENSED RECORD OF THE
PROGRESS OF EVENTS AT
HOME AND ABROAD.

FROM ALL SOURCES

SAYINGS, DOINGS, ACHIEVEMENTS,
SUFFERINGS, HOPES
AND FEARS OF MANKIND.

WESTERN NEWS.

Since the recent lynching at Cairo, Ill., a committee of fifty business men has been organized to bring about a better enforcement of the laws. The mayor has closed all gambling houses.

The "K" Club, a University of Kansas organization, has started an agitation for the building of a \$75,000 stadium at Kansas City. It plans to build the structure within the next year.

The steamer Empress of China recently brought a consignment of 116 barrels of eggs from Shanghai, China, to Victoria, B. C. This is said to be the first shipment of the kind to America.

The Union depot of the Rock Island and the El Paso & Southwestern at Santa Rosa, New Mex., was burned on the morning of November 23d, most of the railroad records being destroyed. The loss is estimated at about \$25,000.

Hon. Lyman J. Gage, formerly secretary of the treasury, now a resident of San Diego, Calif., was married at San Diego on Thanksgiving Day to Mrs. Ada Ballou, a widow of thirty-five years of age. Mr. Gage is seventy-three.

At Danville, Ill., a few days since, a charge of dynamite was exploded under the fruit and wine house of Joseph Mascari, demolishing five buildings and doing damage of about \$50,000. Mascari charges members of the Black Hand with the crime.

Wilbur and Orville Wright and other aviators may soon be made defendants in suits brought by Prof. J. J. Montgomery of Santa Clara College, Calif., to establish his exclusive right to certain devices which are now used in the most successful aeroplanes.

Cortland F. Bishop, of New York, president of the Aero Club of America, announced at the annual dinner of the Aero Club of New England that an effort is being made to have the international contests for balloons and flying machines take place at Denver next year.

At Auburn, Calif., after being out one hour and fifteen minutes, a jury composed largely of sturdy mountaineers acquitted Alma Bell of the murder of her lover, Joe Armes, on the ground that the young, unlettered mountain girl was temporarily insane when she shot Armes.

Judge Smith McPherson of the United States District Court, at Council Bluffs, Ia., has issued an order postponing until March 8 the trial of J. C. Maybray and others, indicted on charges of using the mails to promote fake racing schemes and other alleged swindling devices.

Among the conventions to be held in Colorado next summer the most unusual will be the world's congress of the deaf, to be in session in Denver and at Colorado Springs August 6th to 12th, at which time the most prominent deaf mutes in the United States will convene.

In order that a clearer atmosphere may be assured for the study of Mars, Dr. Lowell of the Lowell observatory at Flagstaff, Ariz., is installing a 12-inch telescope on San Francisco peak. At an altitude of nearly 13,000 feet, Prof. V. M. Slipher will have charge of the task of erecting the big telescope.

By virtue of an agreement between the Union Pacific and Northern Pacific railroads for use of the latter's Portland-Tacoma track for Union and Southern Pacific trains the Harriman roads will begin to operate trains into Seattle January 1st. Between Seattle and Tacoma the Union Pacific has its own track, owning a half interest in the Milwaukee line connecting these cities. Until the Union Pacific terminals and tunnel at Tacoma are completed, the Harriman trains will be run through Tacoma on the Northern Pacific tracks.

GENERAL NEWS.

F. B. Kellogg, the government's prosecutor in the Standard Oil case, says that the court decree actually dissolves the company, that being in effect the result of the injunction.

Miss Louise W. Taft, daughter of Henry W. Taft and niece of President Taft, will be married at New York City during the Christmas holidays to George H. Snowden, a Seattle lumberman.

Following the banishment of football from public school league sports, the New York City Board of Education has issued an order that hereafter no schoolboy will be allowed in athletic competitions unless he has a certificate from the school physician showing his physical fitness to compete.

At St. Paul November 20th the United States Circuit Court for the eastern district of Missouri Saturday handed down an opinion declaring the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey an illegal combination operating in restraint of trade and ordered its dissolution.

A tornado that struck Dexter, Mo., November 22d, demolished fifteen houses and wrecked the Stoddard county fair buildings, including the amphitheater. Two women and two children were injured.

Bradham hall, the girls' dormitory of the South Carolina State Agricultural and Mechanical College for negroes, together with the dining hall and kitchen, was burned a few days since. Loss, \$50,000; insurance, \$20,000.

Had it not been for the recent trouble in Spain, King Alfonso would have been a challenger next year for the America's cup, according to a report published in New York. The threatening troubles at home prevented the issuance of a challenge for the international yacht race.

In order to attend the hunting party of the Marquis de Polignac at Berru, in France, Hubert Latham flew in his monoplane from Chalons, a distance of nineteen miles, in thirty minutes. He killed a goodly number of pheasants and partridges and at sunset boarded his monoplane again and returned to Chalons.

Negotiations have practically been concluded at Paris whereby M. Paulhan, the French aviator, will come to America to participate in the exhibition flights during aviation week at Los Angeles. Later he will give exhibitions at the Mardi Gras at New Orleans and at other places in the South. M. Paulhan will receive \$20,000 a month.

Three hundred Americans were present at a Thanksgiving dinner in Exposition Park, Berlin, where the American Exposition will be held next year. Consul General Thackara, president and Prof. Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president of the University of California, made the principal address. The gathering sent an address of greeting to President Taft at Washington.

Solon Chase, a celebrated figure in the days of the greenback agitation, 30 years ago, died of heart disease a few days since at his home at Chases Mills, in Maine. He was 67 years old. During the height of the greenback campaign Chase stumped the country as far as the Middle West, driving a pair of steers hitched to a hayrack, from the rear end of which he delivered his speeches.

Reports were received at Nairobi November 22d that all the members of the American hunting expedition were well and would return to London November 30th. During the hunting on the Guas Inguis plateau Colonel Roosevelt and Kermit Roosevelt, in company with the Chicagoan, Carl E. Akeley, killed four elephants for the American Museum of Natural History in New York.

The Wright Company of New York has been incorporated, with \$1,000,000 capital, "to manufacture, sell, operate and otherwise use at any place on the North American continent and the islands adjacent thereto machines, ships or other mechanical contrivances for aerial navigation." The directors are Wilbur Wright, Orville Wright, of Dayton, Ohio; George A. Stevens, Henry F. Hooker and A. F. Barnes, of New York.

The widespread allegations of deplorable conditions in Portuguese East Africa, particularly in the islands of San Thomé and Principe, credited by recent English and American writers to the existence of a cruel slave trade in African negroes among the planters, are denounced as unwarranted fabrications by Col. J. A. Wylie, Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society of England, who has just returned from a tour of investigation in that region.

NEWS FROM WASHINGTON.

"I shall cheerfully aid in your proposed temperance move in the army," promises Gen. Fred D. Grant, in command of the Department of the Lakes, in a letter addressed to the Rev. Wilbur F. Crafts of Washington, superintendent of the International Reform Bureau.

James L. Davenport, first deputy commissioner of pensions, has been selected for commissioner, following the resignation of Vespasian Warner of Illinois. Mr. Davenport is from New Hampshire and has been deputy commissioner twelve years. He has been in the pension office since 1881.

Secretary of the Interior Ballinger has decided that a private land owner, having acquired the right to use water from an irrigation project, may dispose of all title to the land. This carries with it a transfer of the water right and of the purchase of another tract of irrigable land within a reclamation project.

It is said to be shown by Department of Justice records affecting the so-called electrical trust, that the government in July, 1908, was offered a million dollar bribe to cease further operations of the General Electric Company and the Westinghouse Company in particular, and of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company incidentally.

Dr. Percy Jaffa has been appointed pension examining surgeon at Trinidad, Colo.

James Freeman Curtis of Boston, now United States district attorney, and once intercollegiate golf champion of the United States, has been chosen assistant secretary of the treasury.

Mr. Curtis succeeds James B. Reynolds, who resigned to become a member of the tariff board, and he will have special charge of customs matters.

For Little Miss



By Julia Bottomley.

More attention has been given to children's millinery within the past three years than ever before. The result is a greater number of designs to choose from. This branch of the milliner's art was neglected because it was not profitable to the milliner. But now the manufacturers of hats have begun to produce numbers of pretty and inexpensive shapes, which may be quickly trimmed, and the milliner has been able to show a variety of models at a price which her patrons will consider.

Nothing will ever supplant the plain "flat" in felt as the most popular of hats for the little girl at this season. Next to it are the bonnet-like hats, the mushroom shapes, with drooping brim and full, soft crowns. Two of these pretty and childish models are shown in Figs. 1 and 2. In the first a soft crown of velvet is very cleverly mounted to the brim. Six box plaits laid at equal distant intervals are slashed so that a collar of soft ribbon is run through them and is finished in a ribbon bow at the left side, toward the back. The same ribbon is plaited in a ruffle about the brim. Little original touches, such as these are in trimming, are more valuable in making children's millinery than any amount of elaboration in work.

Fig. 2 shows a felt hat, faced with white moire silk. A velvet crown is circled with a crushed collar of silk or ribbon, finished in the simplest of bows. A finishing touch appears in the two velvet cabochons which are

mounted at the front in place of metal ornaments. A "beehive" shape is shown in Fig. 3, which is covered with silk. The silk is shirred to fit the shape of the crown, and the brim previously covered with silk, is finished with a plaited ruffle of this material. A rosette of ribbon or hemmed silk makes the decidedly pretty finish at the left side. A knotted rope of gilt or silver brightens the model, laid over the brim and tacked down at intervals.

The plain and perennially fashionable felt hat is shown in Fig. 4. A concession to the vogue of full crowns is shown in the "Tam" crown of velvet which surmounts a large full puff. Bias folds of velvet, shirred over a wire, form a big, spreading bow at the left front and complete the model, which embodies the best features in children's millinery.

A felt hat which is soiled may often be successfully cleaned with gasoline. A certain softness in the brim is desirable, but if this lapses into "floppiness" the brim must be supported by one of several methods employing wire. Brims which droop prettily are much more elegant looking and much more becoming than a stiff, straight brim can ever be.

Only very simple trimmings are in good taste for children. The models shown here demonstrate that only the simplest are needed. Ribbon above all else, in the plain, soft weaves and having a high luster, is the best material to choose in decorating a hat for the little miss.

NEW AND DAINTY.



Here is something new and dainty in a fall shirt made from cream de-laine with plaited fronts and sleeves and finished with a linen collar cut in points and embroidered with self-color dots. This collar is bordered with a very narrow edging of real Irish lace and the bodice is filled in with a tucked collar and chemiselet of white lawn. A pretty finishing touch is given by a gray-blue silk tie made with open ends.

Sleeve Frills.

The tailors will again introduce the plaited frill at the wrist of coats. This was tried once before, but met with little favor. The American woman insisted that the frill annoyed her and that she could only stand it on elaborate afternoon costumes.

The French women have been wearing it all summer to match the plaited frill they wore at the front of their blouses, but the French women adore plaitings, ruffles and furbelows, and it must be admitted that these garnishings do not suit altogether the Anglo-Saxon women.

BLOUSES OF DRESDEN SILK

Many New and Effective Designs
Have Been Introduced by the
Costumers.

Persian silk is artfully utilized by many blouse makers for the foundation over which dark chiffon falls. The lovely design of this silk is elusive in its coloring, and its uncertainty adds a charm which is always striven for by those who shun fragrant or conspicuous tones.

One underblouse of Persian silk in which green and mauve are veiled with a silver light is especially beautiful under a black chiffon bolero. This is braided with black soutache and falls to the top of a folded girde of silk. Long silk sleeves are draped at the top with chiffon, and emerald buttons ornament the front and back of the girde and the outer line of the sleeves. Tiny black satin loops and a small cravat finish this blouse.

Persian silks are rising in favor because of their two-colored effects, making it possible to wear one blouse with two different suits.

Two New Fabrics.

Among the new materials with fanciful names are the Thais moire and Alaska crepe. Both of them are quite effective, but they have nothing suggestive of their names in the textures. However, we have such a variety of fabrics this year that it must be difficult to get names for all of them, and we are adopting the old French method of using the name of the hour for our garments and our textiles.

Velveteen Coats.

The richness of the long velvet coat may be almost repeated in velveteen. This material and corduroy are both too beautifully made to be scorned.

Velveteen never seems like an imitation but like a more durable quality of velvet. This is really so, since the weather has no ill effects upon it and because it will outwear any velvet that may be bought.

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Purchasing Power.

A young gentleman of our acquaintance, who had just reached the age of six, was recently waiting with his mother for a train at a railway station, when he noticed a penny-in-the-slot weighing machine. He asked his mother a great many questions about it, and at last received permission to drop in his penny and be weighed. Having obtained that important information, he said: "How much would I have weighed, mamma, if I had dropped in a dollar?"

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The Cost of Politics.

In his reminiscences of Grover Cleveland, George F. Parker tells a story concerning prodigal expenditures in politics. A rich man who had been nibbling at the Democratic nomination for governor of New York asked William C. Whitney's advice. This is the advice: "Of course, you ought to run! Make your preliminary canvass, and when you have put in \$200,000 you will have become so much interested in it that you will feel like going ahead and spending some money."

"Julius Caesar" Sent to Bed.

At the British Authors' club banquet in his honor, Lieut. Shackleton told an amusing story of a man who went home one night after dinner and took with him four or five others. "Come in, boys," he said, "and have a last drink."

"But your wife might not like it," one of the party replied.

"My wife!" was the answer; "I am Julius Caesar in my house."

On entering they were received by the lady of the house with the words: "Oh, walk in, gentlemen; there is plenty of drink in the dining room. As for Julius Caesar, he is going to bed."

Country Neglecting the Children.

If the percentage of tuberculous children recently ascertained by an investigation in Stockholm, Sweden (1.61 per cent) were applied to the schools of the United States there would be 273,700 children between the ages of eight and fifteen who are positively affected with tuberculosis, according to a statement of the National Association for the study and prevention of tuberculosis. As contrasted with this figure, there are only 11 open-air tuberculosis schools in operation in the entire country, and nine more under consideration. At the lowest estimate, even with all the schools now in operation and those proposed, accommodations will not be provided for four-tenths of one per cent of the children who need this special treatment.

SECRET WORKERS

The Plan Upon Which Coffee Operates.

Coffee is such a secret worker that it is not suspected as the cause of sickness or disease, but there is a very sure way to find out the truth.

A lady in Memphis gives an interesting experience her husband had with coffee. It seems that he had been using it for some time and was an invalid.

The physician in charge shrewdly suspected that coffee was the "Worm at the root of the tree," and ordered it discontinued with instructions to use Postum regularly in its place.

The wife says: "We found that was the true remedy for his stomach and heart trouble and we would gladly paid a hundred times the amount of the doctor's charge when we found how wise his judgment was."

"The use of Postum instead of coffee was begun about a year ago, and it has made my husband a strong, well man. He has gained thirty-five pounds in that time and his stomach and heart troubles have all disappeared."

"The first time I prepared it I did not boil it long enough and he said there was something wrong with it. Sure enough it did taste very flat, but the next morning I followed directions carefully, boiling it for fifteen minutes, and he remarked 'this is better than any of the old coffee.'"

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WESTERN STOCK SHOW AT DENVER.

January 8 to 15, 1910.

During the week of the Stock Show the 13th Annual Convention of the American National Live Stock Association will be held, January 11 to 13; also the initial annual meeting of the Beef Producers' Association of America.

Tue Colorado & Southern will make a rate of one fare for the round trip from all points in Colorado. Tickets will be on sale January 9 to 14 inclusive. Final limit, January 17, 1910.

INTERESTED IN WEST.

Meat Supply of the Future Must Come From Intermountain Country.

The great interest being taken by the cattle interests of the country in the coming National Western Stock Show to be held in Denver during the week of January 8-15, is largely due to the fact that the country is just commencing to realize that the future beef supply of the country must come from the West. The West has the only available pasture lands left. In the corn states of the Middle West, where heretofore the bulk of the beef has been produced, the growing demand for wheat and corn has resulted in the breaking up of thousands of acres of pasture lands and cropping them to grain. On top of this the great influx of settlers to the West has almost driven the range cattleman out of the business and as a result the country is confronted with a shortage of cattle. The West must be encouraged to grow cattle and the National Stock Show at Denver provides the method of starting the work. The National Record Associations of the four principal beef breeds, the Shorthorn, Hereford, Aberdeen-Angus and Galloway, have arranged to have a number of their best and most representative herds on exhibition at the show and each of the associations will put up fifty head of bulls and heifers selected by a committee from the leading herds. These will be sold at public sale for whatever they will bring to western breeders in order to introduce the pure blood into the western country.

The new farmers coming into the West have not been taking hold of the live stock business for two reasons. First, few of them are financially able to buy a foundation herd and many of them have no knowledge of the business. It is expected that plans will be made to finance some of the new farmers who desire to start in cattle growing, and educational work will be conducted through the big show. At both the show and conventions in Denver, the cattle supply will be the principal subject discussed. A special train load of feeder buyers from the East are coming to the show for the purpose of purchasing the car loads of fine stock cattle that will be on exhibition and incidentally to show the profit there is in the business.

COLORADO NATIONAL APPLE EXPOSITION.

Denver Auditorium, January 3 to 8. A rate of one fare for the round trip will be made by the Colorado & Southern railway, from all points in Colorado. Tickets will be on sale January 2 and 3. Final limit, January 10, 1910.

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